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Dr. J. Lederberg,
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Dear Dr. Lederberg,

In a letter from Dr. Crow about a paper I have submitted to Genetics, I am most interested to learn that you once found a suppressor of 1633 in *Neurospora*. I had stated that I knew of no such suppressor, but am writing to ask for the following footnote to be added:

"Since this paper was sent to press, I have learned that a suppressor of 1633 is known (Lederberg, unpublished). The 1633A culture used in the present work and the pab strains derived from it were all tested on minimal medium; there was no indication that any of them carried a suppressor."

I shall be grateful if you will allow me to add this.

I would be interested to know whether the culture in which you found the suppressor was a vegetative transfer of the original 1633A stock, which I believe mine to have been.

Yours sincerely,

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